



Mission: Champions for a Drug-Free Grant County works with the community to reduce and prevent substance use and violence among youth, their families, and those in future generations.

Meeting Minutes
Date: 4/3/2023

Attendance

X	Abby Beausir <i>NKISP/NKCES</i>		Katrina Davis <i>Humana</i>		Riley Colson <i>SES FRC</i>
	Amanda Conn Starner <i>PreventionFirst! Sr. Director</i>		Kelly West <i>Williamstown FRYSC</i>		Robin Webster <i>RMB Agency</i>
	Carrie Coleman <i>GC Parks & Rec</i>		Lauren Kathman <i>NKYHD Harm Reduction</i>		Ronda Smith <i>GC CDW</i>
	Caryn Scheiding <i>WIS Elem. Counselor</i>		Leslie Salisbury <i>Passport Health</i>		Sarah Bishop <i>NorthKey</i>
	Christi Jefferds <i>NKISP/NKCES</i>	X	Linda Bates <i>WellCare</i>		Sarah Dills <i>Parent/Community Member</i>
	Christina Weinel <i>NKODCP/NKADD</i>	X	Lisa Anglin <i>St. Elizabeth Community Liaison</i>		Sarah Lowe <i>Legal Aid Bluegrass</i>
X	Danielle Haley- <i>Business Official</i> <i>GC Schools Public Info Officer</i>		Lorie Dunn <i>Ext. Office - SNAP Education</i>		Sarah Paige Wood - <i>Interim Chair</i> <i>Owen Co. DFC</i>
X	David Borton <i>CMZ FRC</i>	X	Marianne Smith <i>DRE FRC</i>	X	Seth Steele <i>NKYHD Harm Reduction Educator</i>
	Dannyn (Dash) Qualls-Gibeau <i>NorthKey</i>	X	Marsha Bach <i>NKYHD Programs Manager</i>	X	Shaina Board <i>Anthem Medicaid</i>
	Deacon Dzierzawski <i>Evaluator - Epiphany</i>		Mary Schneider <i>Ext. Office - Cancer Control</i>		Tatiana Bradley <i>BKYHD</i>
X	Emily Dade - <i>Vice Chair</i> <i>GCMS YSC</i>	X	Matt Hawkins <i>NKYHD</i>		Todd Cummins <i>Chief Deputy</i>
	Jamie Baker <i>Chamber of Commerce</i>		Michelle Klein <i>NKISP/NKCES</i>		Tyler Mullins <i>GCHS YSC</i>
	Jason Frilling <i>GCMS Principal</i>		Natasha Trauth <i>NorthKey</i>	X	Lori Webb <i>St. Elizabeth</i>
X	Jeff Colon <i>Pastor Lighthouse</i>	X	Nicole Frevola <i>NorthKey Collab. Specialist</i>		
	Jodi Clifford <i>St. Elizabeth Nursing Director</i>		Richard Langley <i>NKODCP/NKADD</i>		
	Karla Hurley <i>MCE FRC</i>		Richmond A. <i>NKY Health - Tobacco Educator</i>		

Monthly Reports

- **Substance Update**
 - Seizures and overdoses occurring with synthetic nicotine and high potency THC - we should not automatically assume that seizures/overdoses are caused by illicit substances
 - Can contact Seth Steele, NKY Health Department Harm Reduction, for questions on Xylazine seth.steele@nkyhealth.org
- **Coordinator's Report**
- **Budget Overview**
 - \$79,070.60 Budget Remaining



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- 68.09% of in-kind requirement met
- Just entered 3rd Quarter of Fiscal Year
- **REACH Dashboard** (year to date)

Old Business: N/A

New Business:

1. Vice Chair & Secretary Positions Open - please let Launi know if you're interested!
2. Coalition Field Trip (May 1st Work Session)
 - a. Resources on environmental scanning, outlet density/resource maps, and urban vs. rural KIP data will be provided!!
3. Legislative Session
 - a. SB 47 (Medical Cannabis) - both parties are not 100% satisfied, agreed several changes need to be made, could be a completely different bill in 2024
 - b. SB 150 (Anti-Trans Bill) - will impact coalition work due to changes to KIP survey

Agency Announcements:

[Kentucky Prevention Network Trainings for Alcohol Prevention Month/Mental Health Awareness Month](#)



[Youth Mental Health First Aid Training](#) in Grant County

Please let Shaina Board, Anthem Medicaid, know if you're hosting a large event where individuals with medicaid can be provided with information to make sure their coverage does not lap now that the pandemic emergency status is changing shaina.board@anthem.com

Next Meeting: Coalition Field Trip!

May 1, 2023 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Meet at the Grant County Board of Education to board the bus!

March 2023	<i>Marijuana</i>	<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>Other</i>
<p>Coalition Work</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conducted Elementary Focus Groups (Vaping/THC) • ASAP FY 24 Grant application - marijuana media campaign submitted 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alcohol Compliance Grant - ongoing • STOP ACT Grant application - submitted 3/02 	
<p>Trends & Observations</p>	<p>First Fentanyl Laced Vape in Ky Schools - Knox Co.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confirmed as highly potent THC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Seizures occurring with synthetic nicotine <p>New Retailer - Fatboy Vapors in Crittenden (Dalton Plaza)</p> <p>Walmart</p> 		<p>6 employees at Grant County Jail treated with Narcan after exposure to unknown substance</p> <p>Narcan goes over-the-counter</p> <p>Xylazine (vet tranquilizers being combined with Fentanyl not affected by Naoloxne/Narcan) - ONDCP Briefing/OD2A Quick News</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Already working on test strip kits <p>Tall Cop Notes from National Emerging Drug Trends Conference (Oct. 2022):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sold as mood enhancers/dietary supplements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ All 'related' and interchangeable • Drug Potentiator - increases high of other drugs • Tianeptine = Tianna/Tia/Zaza <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Can cause relapse ◦ Colors = strains which work differently ◦ 4 states banned since 2019, additional 4 have banned (now including Ky) since Oct. 2022 ◦ Begins selling in bordering states - can predict trends this way <p>Ky Governor stops sale of 'gas station heroine' (Tianeptine)</p>

Data & Trainings		Kentucky Prevention Network Trainings for Alcohol Awareness Month/Mental Health Awareness Month	Youth Mental Health First Aid Training @ Grant County Extension Office FREE to attend <i>and</i> lunch is provided; PD Hours available; Registration closes April 25th; Pre-Work Assignments
Legislation	SB 47 (see page 3)		SB 150 “Anti-Trans” Bill <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● KIP Survey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Passive → Active Consent ○ Removal of Gender & Sexuality Questions ● School Staff <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cannot ask/initiate conversation ○ If told by student, must report to parent ○ GSA/LGBTQ support groups ○ Ky PES Legislative Updates - bills in yellow have been signed by the Governor as of 4/3
Action Items			

SB 47

3/14 Passed Senate Licensing and Occupations Committee with 8-3 vote and support of Majority Floor Leader Damon Thayer (R)

3/16 Passed the Senate with bipartisan 26-11 vote, the first time it has ever been given the opportunity for a floor vote in the chamber

3/30 Passed House with bipartisan 66-33 vote

- both parties are not 100% satisfied, agreed several changes need to be made, could be a completely different bill in 2024

- Wouldn't take effect until the start of 2025 to allow state health officials time to craft regulations to oversee the program
 - Cabinet for Health and Family Services would oversee program including regulations and licensing
 - License categories include three tiers of cultivators, producers, processors, safety compliance facilities, and dispensaries
 - 9 Member Board of Physicians and Advisors would be created (7 physicians, 2 advance nurse practitioners)
 - State Board of Physicians and State Board of Nursing would be responsible for certifying practitioners to recommend cannabis
 - Local government can opt out of allowing cannabis businesses to operate but citizens can petition to have their municipalities opt back in
 - Medical cannabis would be exempt from sales and excise taxes
- Medical cannabis could be prescribed for a list of conditions including cancer, multiple sclerosis, chronic pain, epilepsy, chronic nausea and post-traumatic stress disorder
 - A patient could also be eligible if diagnosed with any medical condition or disease for which the newly established Kentucky Center for Cannabis at the University of Kentucky determines through its data and research is "likely to receive medical, therapeutic, or palliative benefits from the use of medicinal cannabis."
- A person would have to be approved for a card allowing its use
 - A patient under 18 couldn't possess or acquire medical cannabis without assistance from a designated caregiver
 - Patients could possess a 30-day supply in their residence and a 10-day supply on their person
 - Patient registration would only last up to 60 day and initial visit must be in person
- Smoking marijuana would be prohibited but patients could still access raw cannabis for vaporization
- Home cultivation would not be allowed
- 355 THC cap on flower marijuana products
- 70% THC cap on concentrates

- Edibles cannot exceed 10 mg/serving



Coordinator's Report **March 2023**

DFC Goal One: Increase Community Collaboration

- 4H YSUPST (NorthKey)
- GCMS Reality Store
- Grant County Resource Team Meeting
- FFLAG (Fitness for Life Around Grant County) Meeting
- GCMS Sources of Strength/Patriots Landing (Magnified Giving)
- Relatives Raising Relatives Roundtable (Opioid Abatement Rural Application)
- NKISP Podcast

DFC Goal Two: Reduce Youth Substance Use

- Elementary Focus Groups in collaboration with NKISP
- GCHS Prom Committee collaborations (tickets & pledge photobooth)
- Stronger Together Workshop (THRIVE Empowerment)
- State Leadership Conference (HOSA Competition - GCHS)
- Take Down Tobacco Day at Grant County Middle School (inflatable lung event)
- Alcohol Compliance Checks (NKY ASAP Grant) ongoing
- Sources of Strength
- Dinner Table Project

Administrative

- STOP ACT Application
- Annual Performance Report/Non-Competing Continuation Application
- REACH Evaluation Software
- WellCare Monthly Report for Dinner Table Funding
- Monthly Sources of Strength Report

Training

- SPF Roundtable
- NKISP Best Practices for Underage Drinking Prevention

Media

- Facebook/Instagram
- Website



DFC Grant Monthly Budget Overview

March 2023

Expense Category	MTD Actual	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Budget Remaining	Notes
Salary & Fringe	\$3,828.58	\$22,886.76	\$50,555.00	\$27,668.24	
Contract	\$0.00	\$5,706.10	\$25,820.00	\$20,113.90	
Rental	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$300.00	
Communications	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Radio & Television	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Newspaper Advertising	\$0.00	\$1,725.00	\$0.00	-\$1,725.00	
Print/Bind Publications	\$429.25	\$3,952.90	\$6,000.00	\$2,047.10	March DTP Newsletters, GCHS Prom Tickets
Travel		\$3,213.40	\$22,308.00	\$19,094.60	
General Supplies	\$3,102.27	\$6,445.24	\$17,817.00	\$11,371.76	1 Gas Card Roundtable #2 Participation, SOS tie dye, Corinth Community Even Supplies, SOS Week Supplies, Prom Pledge Photobooth Supplies, Summer Reading Kick Off Supplies, Summer Swag, Misc. program supplies
Incentives	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	
Tech Software	\$0.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$0.00	
Totals	\$7,360.10	\$45,929.40			
Total Budget			\$125,000.00		
Total Remaining Balance				\$79,070.60	
DFC In-Kind Support					68.09% to goal of \$156,250 125% of \$125,000

Start Date:

End Date:

Outputs
270

Specific Goal 79.6%

Organizational Improvements
15

People Served
4,392

People Reached Through Media
142,561

Value Generated
\$85,112.84

Include Pending Items

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- Accomplishments/Outputs
- Community Action
- Community Change
- Media
- Resources Generated
- Services Provided
- Organizational Improvements
- Strategies
- Strategies and Problems

